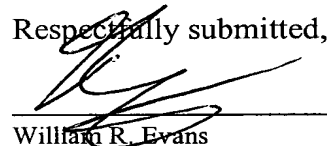


REMARKS

The allowability of claims 2-4 is acknowledged appreciatively and now accepted by incorporating the matter of claim 2 into independent claims 1 and 12.

Passing the application to issue is, therefore, requested of right.

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